

**Table 6. Summary of Stock Status for Species not Contained in Federal Fishery Management Plans**

Stock (Species in Bold are Major Stocks)	Jurisdiction	Overfishing? (Is Fishing Mortality above Threshold?)	Overfished? (Is Biomass below Threshold?)	Approaching Overfished Condition?
American Eel	ASMFC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
<b>AMERICAN LOBSTER</b>	ASMFC	Yes	Undefined	Unknown
<b>ATLANTIC CROAKER</b>	ASMFC	Unknown <sup>2</sup>	Unknown <sup>2</sup>	Unknown
<b>ATLANTIC MENHADEN</b>	ASMFC	No	No	Unknown
Atlantic Sturgeon	ASMFC	No <sup>3</sup>	Yes <sup>4</sup>	N/A
<b>HORSESHOE CRAB</b>	ASMFC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
<b>NORTHERN SHRIMP</b>	ASMFC	Yes	Undefined <sup>5</sup>	Unknown
<b>SPOT</b>	ASMFC	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown
<b>SPOTTED SEATROUT</b>	ASMFC	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown
<b>STRIPED BASS</b>	ASMFC	No <sup>4</sup>	No <sup>4</sup>	Unknown
<b>TAUTOG</b>	ASMFC	Yes	Undefined	Unknown
<b>WEAKFISH</b>	ASMFC	Undefined	No	No
Queen Triggerfish	GMFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
<b>GULF MENHADEN</b>	GSMFC	No <sup>4</sup>	No <sup>4</sup>	Unknown
<b>BLACK DRUM</b>	GSMFC	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown

Stock (Species in Bold are Major Stocks)	Jurisdiction	Overfishing? (Is Fishing Mortality above Threshold?)	Overfished? (Is Biomass below Threshold?)	Approaching Overfished Condition?
<b>PACIFIC BONITO</b>	PFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
California Barracuda	PFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
<b>WHITE SEABASS</b>	PFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
<b>WHITE CROAKER</b>	PFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
<b>YELLOWTAIL</b>	PFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
Giant Squid	PFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
Mackerel Scad	WPFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
Bigeye Scad	WPFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
<b>PACIFIC HALIBUT</b>	PFMC and NPFMC <sup>7</sup>	No	Undefined	Unknown
Rattails	NPFMC	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown
Sea Snails	NPFMC	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown <sup>6</sup>	Unknown
<b>BONITO (ATLANTIC)</b>	HMS	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown <sup>1</sup>	Unknown

1. There is no definition for determining the overfished status in Our Living Oceans.
2. Prior listings were based on status determinations contained in Our Living Oceans (OLO). These status determinations were likely based on regional stock assessments that were conducted prior to 1995, not a coastwide assessment of the stock. Since no coastwide assessment has been conducted and determinations contained in OLO are outdated, it would be more accurate to list the status as Unknown, until more information becomes available.
3. Fishing for Atlantic Sturgeon is prohibited, therefore, there is no fishing mortality.
4. Used assessment from Our Living Oceans.
5. Previous reports listed the status of Northern Shrimp as not overfished, but approaching an overfished condition, based on results from the NEFSC autumn bottom trawl survey and the ASMFC summer shrimp survey. For purposes of this report, determinations regarding whether or not a stock is overfished or approaching an overfished condition are based on stock level size (biomass). Because the Northern Shrimp FMP does not contain reference points to measure the status of the biomass relative to the level at which the stock becomes overfished, determinations regarding the approaching or overfished status cannot be made, and previous listings were in error. Until such reference points can be developed, no assessments can be made relative to the stock level size.
6. The definition for determining the overfished status is based on the definition in Our Living Oceans.
7. The resource is managed by treaty between the United States and Canada through recommendations of the International Pacific Halibut Commission. Pacific halibut is managed under the jurisdiction of the PFMC for WA, OR, and CA and under the jurisdiction of the NPFMC for Alaska.